Forest Ouachita
Service Poteau Ranger District

P.O. BOX 2255 JCT OF HWY 71 & 248 WALDRON, Arkansas 72958

> Reply to: 2430 Date: 08/05/2011

Dear Prospective Bidder:

On 09/08/2011, at 11:00 AM, sealed bids will be opened in the Forest Supervisor's Office, Attn: Timber Mgmt., Room 238D, P.O. Box 1270, Hot Springs, AR 71902 for the Jones Creek sale. This sale is located in T2N, R32W, Sections 14-17 & 19-23; Scott County, Arkansas.. Timber sale Contract 2400-6T will be used. The termination date for this sale is 10/31/2015.

There are 3.61 miles (5.81 kilometers) of specified road reconstruction, and 0.74 miles (1.19 kilometers) of specified road construction. A specified road construction cost of \$231,203.00 has been allowed in the appraisal for this work.

The estimated quantities in this contract have been determined prior to felling. The total estimated quantity on this sale is 9,189 CCF. The Forest Service encourages potential bidders to make their own inspection and estimate prior to bid submission. The Forest Service makes no representation, warranty, or guarantee of the accuracy of the following quantity estimates:

Estimated Quantities and Rates per Unit of Measure							Required Deposits	
Species	Product	Unit of Measure	Estimated Quantities	Average DBH	Advertised Rates	Base Rates	Slash Disposal	Road Maintenance
Southern Yellow Pine	Sawtimber	CCF	7,900.00	N/A	\$36.81	\$6.75	\$0.00	\$0.94
Softwood - Other	Pulpwood	CCF	1,289.00	N/A	\$5.00	\$5.00	\$0.00	\$0.94
	Total	CCF	9,189.00		·		\$0.00	\$8,637.66

There is a \$29,800.00 bid guarantee required on this sale.

Prospective bidders may obtain sale information, including a prospectus, bid form and Sale Area Map at the following website: www.fs.fed.us/r8/ouachita/TimberBid.htm

If you wish further information on this sale, the prospectus and bid form, please write or call the Forest Supevisor's Office, Hot Springs, Arkansas or the District Ranger's Office, Waldron, Arkansas..

Contracting Officer

Enclosure